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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ARIZONA WATER COMPANY FOR AN **EXTENSION OF ITS CERTIFICATE**

OF CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY AT

CASA GRANDE, PINAL COUNTY,

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DOCKET NO. W-01445A-05-0469

REOUEST FOR ADDITIONAL TIME TO COMPLY WITH FILING REQUIREMENT

On March 23, 2006 the Commission entered Decision No. 68607 in the above-captioned docket. Decision No. 68607 (the "Decision") approved the Company's application for an extension of its certificate of convenience and necessity for its Casa Grande system. It also contained the following ordering paragraphs, at page 11, lines 11-25 of the Decision:

IT IS ORDERED that pursuant to A.R.S. 40-282 (D), this Order Preliminary to the issuance of the Certificate of Convenience and Necessity is granted and upon the granting of a franchise or other consent to operate within the municipal boundary of Eloy. Arizona Water Company shall file a motion in this docket for the issuance of a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity authorizing it to construct, maintain and operate facilities to provide water service to the public in the area more fully described in Exhibit A.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that upon the motion of Arizona Water Company and verification of satisfaction of the requirements for the issuance of the Certificate of Convenience and Necessity for the area described in Exhibit A, Staff shall prepare and docket an Order that grants the Certificate of Convenience and Necessity for Commission approval.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that in the event that Arizona Water Company does not obtain a franchise or other consent to provide water utility service to the area described in Exhibit A within one year for the date of this Decision, then the

Order Preliminary approved herein shall be deemed null and void. In such event,

Staff shall file a memorandum to close this docket.

Since March 23, 2006 the Company has made the following efforts to obtain a franchise, or the consent or permission of the City of Eloy with respect to installing water utility facilities within the public right of ways in the area described in Exhibit A of the Decision:

- 1. The Company has applied for, in the manner provided by the City of Eloy, and has made repeated efforts to obtain a right of way permit to install a water line for the purpose of serving a customer to be located within the area described in Exhibit A. A copy of a Certificate of Approval to Construct Water Facilities issued to the Company by the Arizona Department of Environmental Quality, a City of Eloy permit application, and a May 26, 2006 letter from the City of Eloy Public Works Department, evidencing the Company's efforts to obtain the permit are attached hereto as Exhibits 1, 2 and 3, respectively.
- 2. On or about September 7, 2006 at the request of the City of Eloy, the Company submitted to the Public Works Director a proposed form of city

franchise for the City's consideration and approval. The franchise was patterned after the Company's City of Casa Grande and City of Coolidge franchises.

Following the application to the City of Eloy described in paragraphs 1 and 2, above, the Company contacted the City to ascertain the status of, and progress on, the Company's application. Notwithstanding the Company's efforts, the City of Eloy, through its public works director, recently informed the Company that the City Council has decided not to consider the Company's application for a City franchise. As best the Company can determine at this time, it must now renew its efforts to obtain a City right of way permit for the area described in Exhibit A of the Decision.

As evidenced by the preceding discussion, it is clear that the Company's efforts to comply with the Decision are being frustrated by the City of Eloy's shifting and conflicting directives. The Company submits that these actions also hinder, and are contrary to the intent of the Commission concerning the Company's extension of its Certificate of Convenience and Necessity, as provided by the Decision.

For these reasons, the Company respectfully requests that it be given an additional period of time of not less than one year beyond March 23, 2007 in which to continue its efforts to obtain a franchise, or the consent or permission of the City of Eloy for the construction, operation and maintenance of facilities for the provision of water service in the area described in Exhibit A to the Decision.

1	RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 28 th day of November 2006.							
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3	ARIZONA WATER COMPANY							
4	By: Robert W. Leeke							
5	Robert W. Geake Vice President and General Counsel							
6	ARIZONA WATER COMPANY Post Office Box 29006							
7	Phoenix, Arizona 85038-9006							
8	Original and thirteen (13) copies of the foregoing filed the 28 th day of November 2006 with:							
9	Docket Control Division							
10	Arizona Corporation Commission 1200 West Washington Street							
11	Phoenix, Arizona 85007							
12	A convert the foregoing was mailed this 28 th day of November 2006 to:							
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14	Thomas H. Campbell							
15	Michael T. Hallam Lewis and Roca 40 N. Central Avenue Phoenix, Arizona 85004 Attorneys for the City of Floy							
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EXHIBIT 1



ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL TO CONSTRUCT WATER FACILITIES

Page 1 Of 1

LTF No: 39764 **ADEO File No: 20060330**

System Name: Az Water Co-Casa Grande System Number: 11-009

Project Owner: Arizona Water Co.

Address: PO Box 29006, Phoenix, AZ 85038

Project Location: Casa Grande County: Pinal

Description: WATER DISTRIBUTION LINE ALONG PHILLIPS ROAD FROM

SUNLAND GIN ROAD TO TOLTEC BUTTES ROAD TO SERVE THE ETHINGTON PROPERTY AT PARCEL 53A. INSTALL 9240 LF OF 12"

DIP.

Approval to construct the above-described facilities as represented in the approved documents on file with the Arizona Department of Environmental Quality is hereby given subject to provisions 1 through 4 continued on page 1 through 1

- This project must be constructed in accordance with all applicable laws, including Title 49, Chapter 2, Article 9 of the Arizona Revised Statutes and Title 18, Chapter 5, Article 5 of the Arizona Administrative Code.
- 2. Upon completion of construction, the engineer shall fill out the Engineer's Certificate of Completion and forward it to the Central Regional Office located in Phoenix. If all requirements have been completed, that unit will issue a Certificate of Approval of Construction. R18-5-507(B), Ariz. Admin.Code. At the project owner's request, the Department may conduct the final inspection required pursuant to R18-5-507(B); such a request must be made in writing in accordance with the time requirements of R18-5-507(C), Ariz. Admin. Code.
- 3. This certificate will be void if construction has not started within one year after the Certificate of Approval to Construct is issued, there is a halt in construction of more than one year, or construction is not completed within three years of the approval date. Upon receipt of a written request for an extension of time, the Department may grant an extension of time; an extension of time must be in writing. R18-5-505(E), Ariz. Admin. Code.
- 4. Operation of a newly constructed facility shall not begin until a Certificate of Approval of Construction has been issued by the Department. R18-5-507(A), Ariz. Admin. Code.

Reviewed by: AQ1

cc: File No: 20060330 Regional Office: Central Owner: Arizona Water Co.

County Health Department: Pinal

Engineer: Az Water Co.

Planning and Zoning/Az Corp. Commission Engineering Review Database - Etr021

Manager, Drinking Water and Wastewater Engineering Review Water Quality Division

Date

EXHIBIT 2

CITY OF ELOY AUTHORIZATION TO WORK IN THE PUBLIC RIGHT -OF-WAY (OFFSITE PERMIT) APPLICATION

When approved, this permit will constitute written authorization to perform specified work within the public right-of-way, and any public utility easements under control of the City. The City does not assume any responsibility for accidents or damages resulting from the activities of the permittee, other than reasonable observation of the work to ensure that the permit conditions are being followed. Insurance, compliance with the Blue Stake Laws, and work zone safety are the sole responsibility of the permittee. The permittee agrees to these conditions as a part of submitting this application.

Name of permittee/agent: Arizona Water Company
Contractor License #: Will be supplied when contract is awarded
Print Name: Mike Loggins
Signature: Date:
Business Address: 3805 North Black Canyon Highway
City: Phoenix State AZ Zip 85015
Telephone number: 602-240-6860 ext. 222
Fax number: 602-240-6878
Nature of the work to be performed in the public right-of-way/easement: Installation of 9,240 L.F. of 12" D.I.P.
Exact location/s of work: Phillips Road from Sunland Gin Road to Toltec Buttes Road
Will barricades and/or traffic detours be required? (Barricades are required in City right-of-ways.
Barricades are at the expense of the permittee) All work to be done in dirt, but if traffic control plan is required, the contractor will submit it
What are the desired work dates and times?



Requi	red submittals:
(1) (2) (3) (4) (5)	Proof of insurance for \$1,000,000 in total liability (attach). Traffic control plan (for any re-routing or barricading of streets). Description or materials and methods to be used to ensure the integrity or the utility connections to be made (attach). Description of materials and methods for restoring pavement or other surface improvements disturbed by the work (attach). Name of Company/Agent Arizona Water Company Date 5/19/06
	(For administrative purposes only)
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TO THE ORDER OF

CITY OF ELOY RIGHT OF WAY DEPARTMENT 226 N MAIN ST ELOY AZ 85231 ARIZONA WATER COMPANY—GENERAL ACCT.

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Public Works Department

May 26, 2006

Mike Loggins 3805 N. Black Canyon Highway Phoenix, AZ 85015 **Beceiae**

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ARIZONA WATER COMPANY PHOENIX OFFICE

RE: Right of Way Permits

Dear Mr. Loggins:

This letter is to inform you the plans for the water line project on Phillips Road were not reviewed by the Public Works Department and construction is not to begin until Arizona Water Company enters into a Franchise Agreement with the City of Eloy. When the Franchise Agreement with the City is in place Arizona Water Company may resubmit the drawings for review and approval. I do apologize for the inconvenience this may cause you. If you have, any questions do not hesitate to contact me at (520) 466-3082 - X-226.

Janes K. Jaya J. Jim Zozaya Public Works Superintendent

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